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In re Application of	:	
Hall, et al.	:	
Application No. 09/105,572	:	ON PETITION
Filed: June 26, 1998	:	
Attorney Docket No. CORN-0002	:	

This is a decision on the petition filed on August 16, 2007, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b), to revive the above-identified application.

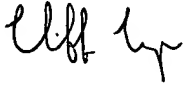
The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed on April 7, 2006. This Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. Applicant filed an Amendment on July 6, 2006. However, by Advisory Action mailed May 1, 2007, the Examiner informed Applicant that the Amendment would not be entered because it failed to place the application in condition for allowance. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on July 8, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on July 3, 2007.

With the instant petition, applicant paid the petition fee, submitted the required reply in the form of an RCE, and made the proper statement of unintentional delay.

The matter is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 2883 for consideration of the RCE, filed August 16, 2007.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.

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